



## STINGER BASKETBALL

### MEN'S VARSITY BASKETBALL: 1986-87 YEAR IN REVIEW

The Concordia men's varsity basketball team mounted a tremendous comeback at the end of the 1986-87 season, capturing the Quebec University Athletic Association (QUAA) championship and gaining a berth in the Nationals.

Unfortunately a Canadian Interuniversity Athletic Union (CIAU) title in Halifax eluded the Stingers but head coach Doug Daigneault's troops represented Concordia well.

The Stingers finished with an overall record of 17-13. Daigneault, who was named QUAA Coach of the Year for the seventh time, reeled in his 12th conference title in 21 years behind the bench. After nipping Trois Rivières 72-68 before a jam packed crowd at the Loyola gym in the semi-final the Stingers whipped McGill 86-73 in the final at the Arthur Currie gymnasium. School spirit was once again at its best with students from both universities cheering their favorite team on.

Veteran five year guard Craig Norman, who would later be named a second team CIAU All Canadian, was selected to the QUAA ALL Star team for his fourth time.

Concordia headed into the Nationals on a six game winning streak, thanks in large part to the incredible comeback of five year veteran centre Rob Latter.

Latter was feared lost for the season back in December when he underwent back surgery. He was flat on his back for five weeks and when he told Daigneault in mid-January he'd return to the lineup before the end of the schedule the coach was reluctant to share his optimism.

But true to his word, the six-foot-eight Latter was back in uniform for the team's final 10 games of the year during which time they went from battling Bishop's for the last remaining playoff spot to upsetting McGill in the final.

Facing Number One ranked Brandon in the opening round of the Nationals at the Halifax Met Centre, Concordia lost 87-70. Latter scored 27 points in that game and was voted Most Valuable Player.

In the Consolation semi final St. Mary's edged the Stingers 85-82.

On the year, Daigneault had to be most satisfied with his club's performance over the 30 games it played.

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Next season the coach will have at least two major gaps to fill in his lineup with the graduation of Norman and Latter. Freshmen Nick Arvanitis and Marlon Paul, who often looked like veterans out on the court, will be expected to assume leadership roles.

Arvanitis, a scholarship recipient out of Vanier College, averaged over 13 points a game. Paul joined the team at mid-season and played a number of games with a broken toe.

The Stingers hosted two tournaments at the Loyola Campus: the Pony Tip-Off and the London Life Centennial. In the former affair it was the powerful Molson Canadian All-Stars beating the home team 108-68 in the final while the latter saw McGill take top honors by defeating Ottawa. Concordia knocked off Bridgewater State 88-84 to win the consolation title.



1986-87 HEAD MEN'S BASKETBALL COACH: Doug Daigneault

ASSISTANTS: John Dore, Harvey Liverman

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### GAME RESULTS

1986 - October	24	Concordia	74	vs	Queens	68	at Kingston
	25	Concordia	110	vs	RMC	44	at Kingston
	31	Concordia	91	vs	York	88	PONY TIP OFF TOURNAMENT
November	1	Molson Canadian All Stars	108	vs	Concordia	68	PONY TIP OFF TOURNAMENT
	14	Concordia	85	vs	Laurentian	78	LAURENTIAN TOURMENT, SUDBURY
	15	Lake Superior	91	vs	Concordia	80	LAURENTIAN TOURMENT, SUDBURY
	21	Concordia	73	vs	Laurentian	67	NAISMITH TOURNEY, WATERLOO
	22	Concordia	75	vs	Windsor	67	NAISMITH TOURNEY, WATERLOO
	23	Winnipeg	60	vs	Concordia	59	NAISMITH TOURNEY, WATERLOO
December	2 *	UQTR	94	vs	Concordia	87	at Concordia
1987 - January	2	Concordia	84	vs	Mt. Allison	66	at Acadia Tournament
	3	Acadia	83	vs	Concordia	66	at Acadia Tournament
	4	Laurentian	71	vs	Concordia	60	at Acadia Tournament
	9	Ottawa	85	vs	Concordia	81	LONDON LIFE CENTENNIAL TOURNAMENT AT CONCORDIA
	10	Concordia	88	vs	Bridgewater	84	LONDON LIFE CENTENNIAL TOURNAMENT AT CONCORDIA
	16 *	Concordia	82	vs	Bishop's	70	at Lennoxville
	20 *	McGill	79	vs	Concordia	69	at Concordia
	30 *	Concordia	92	vs	McGill	90	at McGill (double overtime)
February	7 *	Concordia	91	vs	Bishop's	78	at Lennoxville
	10 *	Bishop's	87	vs	Concordia	84	at Concordia
	13 *	McGill	83	vs	Concordia	70	at McGill
	17 *	UQTR	75	vs	Concordia	73	at Trois Rivieres
	20 *	Concordia	91	vs	McGill	87	at Concordia
	24 *	Concordia	84	vs	Bishop's	70	at Concordia
	25 *	Concordia	95	vs	UQTR	79	at Concordia
March	2 *	Concordia	77	vs	UQTR	75	at Concordia
	6 **	Concordia	72	vs	UQTR	68	at Concordia
	8 **	Concordia	86	vs	McGill	73	at McGill (QUAA SEMI-FINAL)
	12***	Brandon	87	vs	Concordia	70	AT NATIONALS IN HALIFAX
	13***	St. Mary's	85	vs	Concordia	82	AT NATIONALS IN HALIFAX

RECORD:	GP	W	L
QUAA REGULAR SCHEDULE	12	7	5
PLAYOFFS	4	2	2
NON CONFERENCE	14	8	6
OVERALL	30	17	13

\* DENOTES CONFERENCE GAME

\*\* DENOTES PLAYOFFS

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Concordia men's basketball 1986-87  
Final QUAA regular season record: 7-5

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Playoff record: 2-2

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Overall record: 17-13



## Concordia men's basketball 1987 non-conference record: 8-6

	GP	FG	FGA	%	FT	FTA	%	TP	AV	D	O	TR	AV	PF	TO	ASS
Rob Latter	5	48	77	62	29	44	65	126	252	33	14	47	74	13	13	2
Craig Norman	9	71	152	47	60	72	87	209	23	35	14	49	54	21	19	
Nick Arvanitis	14	64	109	59	43	65	66	167	119	58	28	86	61	44	28	
Parnell Joseph	14	52	104	50	28	49	57	131	94	46	19	75	54	29	31	12
Bob Verrelli	14	39	105	37	34	48	71	115	82	26	11	37	26	29	43	
Jack Berros	12	21	46	46	11	16	69	54	45	11	6	17	14	20	16	0
John Dangelas	13	5	23	22	4	8	50	14	06	8	3	11	08	13	12	0
Hugh Wallace	14	20	45	44	18	22	82	58	41	20	16	36	26	23	13	0
Keith Alexander	12	19	54	35	20	27	74	58	48	28	6	44	37	22	11	0
Peter D	8	3	12	25	0	3	0	6	08	5	3	8	1	9	0	0
Mike Baker	6	2	6	33	2	3	67	7	12	2	0	2	63	5	3	0
Marlon Paul	5	20	36	56	9	13	0	50	10	3	6	9	18	17	13	2
Terry Simon	1	1	1	1.000	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Clint Farley	4	12	23	52	4	5	80	28	2	2	0	2	05		9	2
John Barrrd	4	1	3	33	1	3	33	3	075	3	2	3	125	3	4	1